

HOUSE No. 1685

By Mr. Bosley of North Adams, petition of Daniel E. Bosley for legislation to further regulate grants awarded to regional tourism councils. Tourism, Arts and Cultural Development.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO REGIONAL TOURISM COUNCILS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Section 14 of chapter 23A of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by striking out the second sentence of the last paragraph
3 as appearing in lines 55, 56 and 57 and inserting in place thereof
4 the following:— The executive director, subject to the approval
5 by the director of the office of economic development, shall estab-
6 lish guidelines in which to regulate the dispersal of funds; pro-
7 vided, however, that any agency may expend any amount not to
8 exceed twenty percent of any grant which it may receive under the
9 provisions of this section for the cost of administrative services.